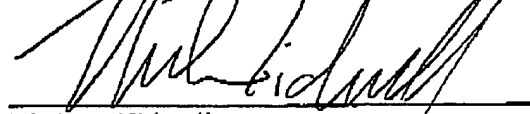


**Remarks**

Applicant reasserts the Remarks accompanying the Response filed on May 16, 2005. Such remarks also apply to Claims 18 and 23 amended herein. Claims 33-36 have been canceled.

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